

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
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Kenichi TABATA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 1960
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Application No.: 10/030,249 : Group Art Unit: 3761
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 15, 2009, now due to expire October 15, 2009, be extended for two months and set to expire on December 15, 2009.

Please charge the extension fee of \$490.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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